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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is made in reply to the Office Action mailed January 21, 2005, setting a three-month shortened statutory period of response expiring April 21, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: